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No. 712.

A DOUBLE HOUSE and lot, 80x152 feet, in block 1, south Western addition. Cheap, at $1250.

No. 770.

A ONE STORY FRAME HOUSE and two lots, in block 6, North addition, fronting on Water street. $1200.

No. 1003.

A HOUSE and lot in block 1, Adamson & ...'s addition of out lots, fronting south, on West Main street. Cheap.

No. 1032.

A HOUSE and lot, in block 4, South addition, on Church street, fronting east. $900.

No. 1157.

80 ACRE FARM, in section 11, township 15, range 2 east. High rolling land, with running water. $2500.

No. 1133.

50 ACRES, about 2½ miles southwest of Decatur, in section 18, township 16, range 2 east. $55 per acre.

No. 1027.

80 ACRES TIMBER LAND, two miles southeast of city, in section 25, township 16, range 2 east. $2500

No. 1051.

A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE in block 8, South addition, on South Main street. $2200.

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A VACANT LOT, fronting Eldorado street, 50 by 162 feet, in Read & Co.'s addition. Price, $300.

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A HOUSE and two lots in Sangamon addition, containing two acres, at $2,000, cash.

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GOING EAST.

Passenger leaves.............................. 1,15 p. m
Freight and Accommodation, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays..... 7,00 a. m
Passenger from East arrives at Decatur.............................. 11,20 a. m
Freight and Accommodation, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.... 4,35 p. m

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GOING NORTH.

Passenger.............. 5 08 A M Sundays excepted
Freight.............. 2 25 A M Mondays " "
" .... 10 40 A M Sundays "
" .... 3 45 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger.............. 7 42 P M Sundays excepted
Freight.............. 8 50 A M " "
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Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:
GOING WEST:
No. 1 Through Express.............................. 3 15 a. m
" 3 Fast Express.............................. 12 20 p. m
" 11 Accommodation.............................. 3 10 p. m
" 5 .... 11 00 p. m

GOING EAST:
No. 2 Lightning Express.............................. 11 10 p. m
" 4 Atlantic.............................. 12 10 p. m
" 12 Accommodation.............................. 7 45 p. m
" 6 .... 9 00 a. m

PEKIN DIVISION:
DEPART:
No. 1 Accommodation.............................. 6 05 a. m
" 3 Mail.............................. 1 30 p. m

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No. 2 Accommodation.............................. 9 00 p. m
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ST. LOUIS DIVISION:
DEPART:
No. 1 Through Express.............................. 3 20 a. m
" 3 Fast Express.............................. 12 25 p. m
" 9 Accommodation.............................. 12 30 a. m
" 5 .... 6 00 a. m

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No. 2 Lightning Express.............................. 11 05 p. m
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" 10 Accommodation.............................. 4 25 a. m
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EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur......			2 50 p m
Ar Monticello...			4 40 "
" Champaign.			6 20 "
" Chicago......			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign..	5 40 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville......	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
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Ar Danville		2 50 p m	1 20 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville.......	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati.....	9 00 p m	12 10 a m	11 59 a m
" Dayton.........	5 45 p m		12 25 p m
" Columbus......	11 45 p m		3 40 p m
" Zanesville......	1 53 a m		7 00 p m
" Wheeling	5 45 a m		9 00 p m
" Washington..	9 00 p m		6 30 p m
" Baltimore......	6 55 p m		
" Pittsburg	7 05 a m	11 45 a m	12 01 a m
" Harrisburg.....	3 25 p m	10 40 p m	11 55 a m
" Philadelphia	6 40 p m	2 50 a m	3 35 p m
" New York	9 25 p m	7 00 a m	6 45 p m
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" Cleveland.....		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo..........		1 10 p m	
" Boston		8 30 a m	5 50 p m
" Louisville.....		11 25 p m	1.00 p m
" Nashville.....		7 35 a m	

No. 6 via T., W. & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

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TAKING EFFECT MAY 31st, 1874.

EAST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 1, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Decatur.............................. 8:30 a. m
Arrives at Terre Haute.............................. 1:25 p. m
" Indianapolis.............................. 4:15 "

No. 3, Accommodation—
Leaves Decatur.............................. 3:45 p m
Arrives at Terre Haute.............................. 12:40 a. m
" Indianapolis.............................. 3:35 "

WEST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 2, Accommodation—
Leaves Terre Haute.............................. 6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur.............................. 3:00 p. m

No. 4, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Indianapolis.............................. 2:00 p. m
Leaves Terre Haute.............................. 5:20 "
Arrives at Decatur at.............................. 10:40 "

☞ These trains run into the Union Depot at Terre Haute.

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THE BABY.

How to Feed, Dress and Care for the Little Ones in Warm Weather.

In July and August the baby becomes or ought to become a point of public interest. If grown men and women suffer from bad ventilation, uncleanliness or indigestion, they have themselves to blame. But when the poor baby is the victim it is a matter of deliberate cruelty. Summer after summer teething children fall in hecatombs, sacrificed to the ignorance or carelessness of their parents. This year, however, as last, instructions have been published by the Board of Health in some neighboring cities by which the most uneducated mother may understand how to protect her child from danger as far as possible during the season of heat and foul air. The directions are based upon plain principles of common sense, which we suppose would be patent to anybody of ordinary intelligence, but which are unfortunately the very facts soonest ignored and neglected. Irish or German mothers, like Naaman of old, are usually willing to try any cure which any prophet may recommend—the more miraculous and difficult the better; but as for a steady washing of themselves or their children in the waters of Jordon or Croton to make them whole, they are apt, like the Syrian, to sniff contemptuously at the idea, and go faithfully on their way through dirt to death. Washing, however, might be called the basis of a baby's salvation through teething; a thorough sousing of the little body in plenty of cold water every morning, and when the weather is extremely hot a tepid sponge bath at night; washing, too, constantly, of all the clothes and cloths worn by the infant to afford it perfectly clean garments at all times. Whatever milk be given should be thoroughly sweet and cool; infants under two years should be restricted in their diet to milk, oatmeal, and beef broth or minced raw meat in small quantities. There is a popular prejudice among the uneducated women against the "meanness" of refusing food to "their children which they eat themselves;" to which is owing one half the deaths among that class of infants. The swarms of sallow, puny, wizen faced babies, which we see at the doors of tenement houses are fed on morsels of pork, vegetables, unraised bread, and occasional sips of tea and lager beer, which may fall to their mothers' lucky lot. It is not heat or malaria or teething against which the doctors have to contend so much as the obstinate ignorance of the parents.—Fresh air is, of course, a tonic and cure superior to any medicine; every hour passed by the child under the trees in the square or on the rivers gives it a new chance for life. No anodynes or soothing sirups should be given except under medical direction.

So far the doctors. There are other rules as practical in effect, but which only affection can suggest. One is the laying aside for the brief hot season the rigor of parental discipline. Many well meaning women feel it to be their duty to teach their children implicit obedience at the earliest age, and to punish any ill-temper or peevishness. Now, an infant never cries unless when hungry, hurt or sick; the cutting of the teeth frequently affects the brain and produces a nervous irritability, which relieves itself by peevish complaints or crying. To whip a child for such conduct is sheer cruelty, and simply increases what is an actual disease. Through these perilous two months, the helpless little infants require not only the skillful care of a wise mother, but the brooding love of the most tender one. If they do fret and cry against the discomforts and pains of a world into which they came without choice and which shows them just now its roughest side—what wonder.—*New York Tribune.*

CONCERNING MOHAMMEDANISM.—Rev. Cyrus Hamlin writes from Constantinople to the *Observer*:

Islam has lost the day upon the high fields of power, and has no compensating advantage to take refuge in.—Among nominal Christians and Jews it makes no converts by persuasion, and among them it attempts no missionary work. It hopes for no gains. Formerly it recruited both the army and the harem from its Christian subjects. It now does neither. It can no longer sieze upon Christian youth to form a janizary corps, nor upon Christian maidens for its households. The great source of its power is dried up. It has taken the sword, and in a very singular manner it is perishing by the sword in times of the profoundest peace. Its great army, badly housed, badly fed, badly cared for medically, decimated by malarious diseases and epidemics, is recruited entirely from Moslem citizens. They are taken for seven years from their labors and homes in the most valuable and productive period of life.—This of itself is sufficient to account for the admitted fact that relative to the Christian subjects of the empire the Moslems are losing ground. The Christians have no military service to perform, and what has been accorded to them in scorn is making them formidable in numbers. In what it can be said that Islam is gaining in that vast Empire, or in Persia, I am at a loss to conceive.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

We, the delegated representatives of the Republican party of Illinois, declare the following to be substantially our political belief:

1. That emancipation and enfranchisement having been secured by the Thirteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and by appropriate legislation for their enforcement; and equality of civil rights having been guarantied by the Fourteenth Amendment, such guaranty should be enforced by appropriate statutes, so that the broad ægis of Federal power may be over black and white citizens alike.

2. That, as one of the consequences of the late civil war, about $382,000,000 of non-interest bearing Treasury notes were issued to, and are now held by, the people as a safe and convenient currency, it would be unwise and inexpedient, in the present financial condition of the people, to attempt the immediate cancellation of any portion of such Treasury notes.

3. That the laws for the establishment of national banks having secured to the States and Territories the best system of bank circulation ever before afforded the people, it should be no longer confined to a privileged class, but should be free to all alike, under general and equal laws, the aggregate volume of currency to be regulated by the untrammeled laws of trade.

4. That we re-affirm the declaration of the National Republican Convention of 1872, in favor of a return to specie payment at the earliest practicable day.

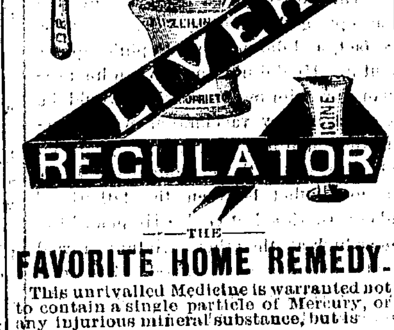
5. That we commend the measures which have passed the popular branch of Congress, looking to the cheapening and perfection of Inter-State railway transportation, and the improvement of navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi river.

6. That we are in favor of an amendment of the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of the President and Vice President by the direct vote of the people, without the intervention of the Electoral College.

7. That the Republican party proposes to respect the rights reserved by the people to themselves, as carefully as the powers delegated by them to the State and Federal Governments; and it will aim to secure the rights and privileges of the citizen without regard to nativity or creed; and it is opposed to interference by law with the habits, tastes or customs of individuals, except to suppress licentiousness or to preserve the peace and safety of the citizens of the State.

8. That while we accord to the railway companies of this State the fullest measure of property rights, we also demand for the people reasonable charges and rigid impartiality in the transportation of passengers and freight—such guaranty to be secured by appropriate State and National legislation.

Relying upon the foregoing declaration of principles and policy, and upon the broad, clear record of the Republican party during its fifteen years of State and Federal administration, we appeal once more to that silent yet conclusive tribunal, the ballot-box, confident that the people will endorse overwhelmingly the action of this representative Convention.



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ELIZA GRAVES, vs. WALKER H. TISDALE, ROXANA C. TISDALE, } *In Chancery.*

To whom it may concern:

Take notice, that a certain suit is now pending in the circuit court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Eliza Graves is plaintiff, and Walker H. Tisdale and Roxana C. Tisdale are defendants; and that summons has issued in said cause, returnable to the next term of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

and that unless you and each of you then and there appear to plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill, and the allegations therein stated, the said bill will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

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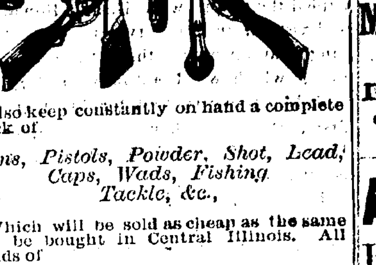

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Monday Evening, July 20.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
THOMAS S. RIDGWAY,
Of Gallatin.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM B. POWELL,
Of Kane.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION—11th DISTRICT.

The Republican voters of the 11th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to appoint delegates to attend a convention of said district to be held at Tuscola, Douglas county,

On the 25th day of August next,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative in Congress for said district, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every 100 and fraction over 150 votes cast for Presidential Electors in 1872, which will entitle the respective counties of the said 11th congressional district to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	10	Macon	7
Coles	7	Piatt	1
Douglas	4	Vermillion	9

By order of Committee,
R. A. BOWER, Chairman.
W. H. LAMB, Secretary.

THE QUAKERS AND INDIANS.

The "peace Indian policy" has got to be so unpacific in its effects on Indians and Indian agents that even the Quaker agents are quarreling over it. One of them, John D. Miles, a short time ago, gave an account of some cruel Indian depredations, and intimated that the case called for the application of a little war policy. Now, we have the other Quaker agents meeting at Lawrence, Kansas, to demand friend Miles' resignation, on the ground that "he is not sufficiently in harmony with the principles upon which our work among the Indians is based." And so it goes; the peaceful white adventurers encroaching on the land of the Indians, the peaceful settlers selling the Indians amunition to shoot them with, the peaceful Indians killing and scalping all along the Arkansas and on the Texas frontier; and the peaceful Quakers quarrelling about the whole business. Our Indian policy costs us about $7,000,000 a year, and this everlasting strife is the net product of it.

RECENT events in Minnesota have thrown some light on the interesting question of the relation of grasshoppers to finance. Finance is an intricate subject and grasshoppers very peculiar insects, but philosophers have not been able, heretofore, to define the relations of the two. The St. Paul *Press* says that a recent dispatch to the Governor of Minnesota, asking the Secretary of War for the commutation of arms into food rations on account of the ravages of the grasshoppers, had a very disastrous effect in Wall street on the stocks of Minnesota railroads, and also brought to an abrupt termination a negotiation which had been nearly consumated with New York capitalists for placing a large amount of St. Paul city bonds. With the agility of grasshoppers the brokers jumped to the conclusion that the whole State was devastated, whereas the interesting insects had laid waste about 96 miles square, or 9,000 square miles in the southern portion of the State. The inference is that they had no intention of eating up the State of Minnesota, but merely intended to bear the stock market.

MATTOON, Ill., tells a queer story about a month-old child found in a basket under a rose bush in the garden of a Mr. and Mrs. White, in that town. The child was guarded by a dog which belonged to a neighbor. It was with difficulty the dog was persuaded to let anybody come near his charge. The dog's master declares he knows nothing about the little stranger, and cannot imagine why his dog should have taken upon himself the responsibility of becoming its guardian. The account states that "No name, no address, and no clue were found upon the dress or person of the child." It seems as if there ought to have been some clue to its sex, anyhow, but there is no hint in the story whether Mr. and Mrs. White might name it John or Mary. That dog business puzzles the people a little, and the dog's owner is regarded with some suspicion.

STRIPPED of all verbiage the Democratic platform can be expressed in three words—repudiation, ignorance, and free whisky.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Spring Hats, latest styles, at Marble Hall. 2-dtf

SABBATH SERVICES.

Rev. A. McDougal on Christian Suffering—Bishop Bowman on Peace with God.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

In the absence of the pastor the morning service at the Presbyterian Church was conducted by Rev. A. McDougal, of Bloomington.

The reading of the 4th and a portion of the 5th chapters of 1st Peter was the first exercise. The choir being absent only one hymn was sung. The speaker took for his text the last clause of the 10th verse of the 5th chapter of the 1st Epistle of Peter: "But the God of all grace, who hath called us unto his eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after that to have suffered awhile, make you perfect, establish, strengthen, settle you."

This was strange language addressed to the apostle. It was also strange that the established laws and customs of the time should be in opposition to Christianity, and that to advocate the truth was to subject one to persecution. Looking out on a world of beauty it seemed singular to think that suffering should be necessary.—God knew that it would never do to allow our lives to be marked out with clear lines of prosperity. It would tend to forgetfulness of Him and would make all vain and unforgiving. Suffering is necessary to draw us out, to develop the elements of character, and to lead us to God. Look over the world and see how much suffering there is, and where it is least expected to exist. We do not see as God does, and perceive the end from the beginning. The child cannot conceive why he is denied. He does not know that the hand that withstands saves him from destruction; in after years he sees how his parents saved him. So God knows what is good for us, and his punishments have for their end an ultimate good. Who has not seen the invalid suffering in silence for long, weary years, and yet whose life was a sweet submission to the will of God. The great mystery was that with so much of suffering there could be such great joy.—This shone forth in the character of Job—children taken, property gone, and body afflicted, he still rejoiced in the Lord. The afflictions of to-day were the same and called for the exercise of the same devotion.

In the manufacture of the finer grades of steel in swords every effort is made by the use of emery wheels, etc, to make the product present a fine appearance; when finished the blade is almost a perfect mirror. So God brings us to the great emery wheel of Providence, and Satan often makes his greatest effort against the purest and best; all history showed this. To keep the faith, to pursue the even tenor of our way, requires great determination. It is sometimes asked is a Christian not responsible for being gloomy. A torpid condition of the liver would affect a saint as well as a sinner, and this was often the cause of gloom. It costs something to be a true christian—oftentimes it costs one's life; who does not admire the man who stands up for principle.

We often despise the means of grace because they are so common. Our lives show that the measure of our suffering for Christ is not in proportion to that we suffer other things. We often admire the vim and energy displayed by those who have worldly purposes to accomplish; at all hazards they are resolved to succeed. So should it be with the Christian. It is a blessed plan that we are not allowed to slumber on our post; God requires vigilance.

The providences of God may not seem plain to us. One may lose his property, another his children, and others may be spared both of these and lose the partner of their joys. The query is why this suffering, and we cannot always see that the process is one of love, though the way may be severe. But God doeth all things well. His idea is to perfect our characters, and shall we murmur at His plan? This is God's school, preparing us for the higher life.

Men often say, O, if I were wealthy I could do so and so, but too often as wealth increased the measure of contributions to benevolent purposes decreased. A very small piece of gold would cover the eye. God's claims were the same on men outside as inside the Church. The call was to all to become, through the discipline of this world, prepared for that which is to come.

The discourse occupied about three-fourths of an hour in its delivery. Mr. McDougal is a very pleasant speaker, and his remarks were well received.

EVENING SERVICE AT STAPP'S CHAPEL.

The announcement that Bishop Bowman, of St. Louis, would preach last evening at the above place called out an immense audience. Seats were brought from the basement, and by the ringing of the second bell every available seat was occupied. Revs. Stevenson and McElroy occupied the pulpit with Bishop Bowman, and assisted in the services. The choir sang as an opening anthem, "Consider the lilies," which was beautifully rendered.

Bishop Bowman took for his text the first part of the 14th verse 2d chapter of Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians. "For He is our peace."

The Bishop stated in commencing that he had already spoken twice during the day, and felt very much exhausted, and consequently would not promise to devel op all contained in the text. The following is a brief synopsis of his able discourse:

There were passages in the scripture which seemed to be contradictory, and men often became skeptical because of this. The reason was that they did not bring to the consideration of the subject the same simple, common sense as in investigating other affairs. A moment's reflection would show us that in the matters of everyday life, and in speaking of the same subject we are daily using words of less plain meaning. If he were to speak to a boy on the downward path to the drunkard's grave, he would urge him to stop, lest he should arrive at such a depth of degradation that he could not retrace his steps. On the other hand if he were to speak to the ladies he would say, go on in your good work, because there was a possibility of saving the apparently lost one. The surgeon came to your house to give you peace, and yet just as surely he came to bring pain. So God came to bring peace and war also. The one was the end, the other the instrumentality to the end. The gospel can never be attained except by a struggle; no great purpose is ever accomplished without it. The progress of science has been a continual struggle, men have always been unwilling to accept facts; great inventions have to be forced on the world. If one were to take a reaper to China they would drive him out of the country. They prefer to do as their fathers did. It was so with the boy who went to mill with the corn in one end of the sack and the stone in the other. Thus it was with religion; the human heart resisted desperately every truth. All who have experienced religion know that the sweet peace that passeth understanding comes only through a great struggle. The members of the body seem to be at war It was only when man placed all in Christ that peace came to the aching soul. Hence it is that Christ is spoken of as our peace.

There were three senses in which Jesus was spoken of as the peace of every believer:

1st, In offering himself to reconcile God to man.

2d, By his example in moulding the human heart to the truth.

3d, By reconciling men to God.

The first proposition met with objection upon from the liberal christian because they affirmed that there was no necessity for the atonement—no use of reconciling God to man. We must judge of God's moral nature by our own. Man cannot comprehend fully the infinite. We cannot comprehend the ocean, in all of its vastness, yet we can a drop of water, a lake, and then we can think of the immensity of the ocean; our idea is correct as far as it goes. Just so with God. Wherever there is sin he found something to abhor All have an idea of how long a foot rule is; but if the length of the church should be asked there would be as many judgments as people in the room. If we saw two men fighting we could hardly pass them without forming a judgment as to which was in the wrong, and a sympathy would go out to the one thus wronged.—reading Shakspeare's plays the same feelings would occur. God is free from all prejudice. He understands all characters, and will stand opposed to sin forever.—In accepting the offering of Jesus he took it as fact, and did not wish to philosophize about it. He did not know when his physician gave him medicine what would be the effect, or how vaccination would prevent the small-pox, yet he accepted the fact. So it was with the atonement. There was no conflict between the fatherhood and governorhood of God. He placed the one as high as the other. Nature showed proofs of God's governorhood The great problem when the first child came to the family was how should it be governed.—There is too much of mocking sentimentalism at the present time. When a great crime was committed all of the sympathy seemed to be for the criminal, and so property was not safe and life was endangered. God cannot allow his laws to be trampled under foot. The story of the ancient monarch of the Lochrians was alluded to as illustrative of this. When the war broke out his only son came to him to ask permission to go to war; at first he could not consent, but when he thought of the outraged flag and laws he consented to the sacrifice. Peace of mind, the true peace of God, is not found in the giddy maze of the dance, in the gay fashionable society of the day; it must be found at the foot of the cross.

The Bishop closed with an eloquent admonition to all to seek this great peace.

His discourse occupied one hour, and although the night was excessively warm no one seemed wearied—in fact all would have been pleased to have heard the remaining two heads of his discourse elucidated. Bishop Bowman is a fine speaker and a clear thinker, and will always command the attention of his hearers.

A MAN who attempted to wreck a passenger train in Minnesota has been caught and now lies in jail at St. Paul. It is a very sentimental thing, no doubt, for one to be in jail on such a charge. We shall expect to hear that all the strong-minded women and long-haired men in St. Paul have banded together to console the poor fellow and secure a mitigation of the punishment that will be inflicted upon him by an unfeeling jury. Just put yourself in his place; and, while the spirit moves you, put yourself in the places of the passengers on the train that he attempted to wreck.

THE inauguration of railways in this country may be said to date from the year 1830, when railways were in operation to the extent of 23 miles. At the close of 1873 there were 70,651 miles of railway in operation. This great increase, during the brief time of forty-three years, is something marvelous to contemplate.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The trustees of the Plymouth Baptist Church of this city state that an attempt has been made to assassinate their pastor, Rev. Henry Miller, owing to a sermon he delivered favoring the reading of the Bible in the public schools. Two shots were fired into the pastor's study during his absence and he has been sent a threatening letter.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Collision on the Erie R. R.

R. G. HERVEY AMONG THE WOUNDED.

Indians on the War Path.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

All Spain Declared in a State of Siege.

An Embezzler Gives Himself Up.

CANAZRAGO, N. Y., July 18.—The trains No 8 eastward, and No. 7 westward-bound, both through express trains on the Erie road, came in collision on the single track, a mile east of Canazrago, at 9 o'clock this morning while going from fifteen to twenty miles an hour. A number of passengers in the westward smoking car were hurt. One, Vanhorn, of Philadelphia, had his left arm and leg broken, and seems to be injured internally. A couple of other passengers in the same car have their arms broken and several have been severely cut and bruised. The baggage master of the western train, named Adkins, was killed. The brakeman on the same train had his ankle broken. The fireman and engineer escaped with slight cuts and bruises.

The engine of the eastward plunged through the engine, baggage and smoking car of the westward train, smashing the front platform and glass in the front end of the forward first-class car, which was filled with ladies and children, who all escaped uninjured. The baggage car of the eastward bound train had its end and side burst out, but the baggage was uninjured. The west ward baggage car was destroyed, and the mails soaked and torn. It is stated that the eastward train had the right of the way, and that the westward train should have waited at Barnes, the next station out of Canazrago The westward conductor says he had a new engineer this morning; that he instructed him at Barnes to pull up to the station and wait for the other train, instead of which he plunged ahead. The road curves sharply where the collision took place, and trains are inaccessible to each other one hundred yards apart The crash of the engines was the first warning to the passengers.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Vanhorn, who was badly injured by the railroad accident here, is agent of the New York and Erie Railroad. The fireman on the eastward bound train had his ankle broken, and was hurt internally. All passenger coaches of both trains remained on the track, except the westward smoking car. The baggageman killed is Robert Atkinson, of Jersey City, Fireman Wm. Bergeman had a leg broken, and the brakeman, E. Hagle, had a leg broken. R. G. Hervey president of the Paris and Decatur Railroad, had a collar bone broken, O. W. Garrett, of Chicago, left arm contused; W. G. Hooper, of Hornellsville, head cut; J. T. G. Fitzgibbons, aged about forty-eight years, head cut; Geo. Griswold, of Hornellsville, and Thos. Stewart, of Buffalo, head cut and severe contusions

The boiler heads of the engines were smashed into each other. Both boilers remain on the trucks, but are swept clear of tenders and all. The lap and side hemper of the westward baggage car was torn to splinters and fell on the east side of the track forward.

The first-class car of the westward train, which was full of children, left its trucks, and swept everything above the floor of the smoking car, and only stopped at the wreck of the engines, where it remained exactly on the floor of the smoking-car, nearly intact, while the body, seats and passengers of the smoking-car and a portion of the wreck of the baggage car were piled on the western side of the road.

The railroad company sent a wagon-load of trunks to the wreck for passengers who have lost theirs, but a large amount of baggage is ruined.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A Havana letter to the *Herald* furnishes the details of the trial of Dockery, at Puerto Principe, and his condemnation to death. His defense was the declaration that he was American citizen, a denial of the jurisdiction of the court, or any council of war, and a statement of the facts of his case. He grants the facts that he communicated with insurgents, wrote letters to Maximo Gamez, to Marquis of Santa Lucia, and President Cienceros, wrote accounts of the battle of Narajaro and brought some letters from insurgents, but says his motive was self-defense. He compromised himself through weeks of exposure, of danger and half starvation. He was held against his own will within the insurgent lines, and it was to escape therefrom that he did the acts for which he is charged with being an active insurgent. The Spanish *Fiscal* appears to have accused Dockery of being an agent of the United States Government, sent to Cuba in the interest of the belligerent rights of the insurgents.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 18.—The Secretary of the Treasury has determined that there shall be no deficiency bill reported to Congress from his department, and has given notice that a strict observance of the law prohibiting expenditures in excess of appropriations will be required by all officers and employes of the department. He informs all under him that Congress has determined what amounts of money may be expended, and in no case will the use of an amount in excess of this sum be sanctioned.

The Washington Monument Association has decided to appeal to all organized societies in the country for contingent subscriptions for finishing the monument. None of the sums pledged are to be called for until the full amount necessary to complete it is subscribed.

The Vice-President visited the city to-day and left for the east this afternoon. He is steadily inproving in health.

The President is expected to return the early part of the week.

PARIS, July 18.—There is a complete crisis in the Ministry. The Duke de Broglie has been seeking to constitute a Cabinet, based on the old majority in the Assembly, but, it is said, he has failed, and that the Duke de Cazes has since been intrusted with the task. The Assembly to-day adopted the motion offered by Walowski, reducing the annual redemption payments by $10,000,000, thus aggravating the Ministerial defeats. It also confirmed the decision to discuss Vertuor's constitutional report from the Committee of Thirty on Monday. It is expected the new Ministers will demand the postponement of this debate. If it is postponed the whole Left and the Bonapartists will vote for a dissolution of the Assembly

BOOMINGTON, ILL., July 18.—John F. Fuller, the embezzler, who recently disappeared from St. Joseph, Mo., simsultaneously with about $5,000 intrusted to the care of him and his partner, Joseph Thomas, telegraphed the other day from Chester, New York, to Wilson & Toms that he would be in this city to-day. After his arrival on an early morning train, he proceeded to make a clean breast of the matter, acknowledging to Wilson & Toms that, in conjunction with his partner, Thomas, they have both been spending large sums of money. Fuller's relatives have written that they will refund promptly whatever money he has used. He is under arrest and in the custody of the Sheriff, though allowed comparative freedom.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Col R. C. Drum Lt. Gen. Sheridan's Chief of Staff, today received the following telegram:

"Bradley telegraphed at 9 45 last night. Messenger just in from Seminole mines, 35 miles north of here, for help; there are 25 miners who have been fighting Indians for two days. Some of the miners have been killed. It is reported that there are 200 or 300 Indians. I have ordered a company of cavalry from Russell to Steele's, and instructed Bradley to do the best he can in the meantime with his infantry.
E O. C. ORD, Brig. Gen'l

BOSTON, July 18.—There is great excitement in South Boston on account of the discovery in a building of the remains of a child missing some four months. They were found in the cellar of the house formerly occupied by the mother of young Pomeroy, who is in jail awaiting trial for torturing and murdering a boy named Millan. The body was found lying under a pile of ashes and dirt in a decomposed state. The mother and older brother of Pomeroy, were arrested to prevent their being lynched by the excited crowd.

LITTLE ROCK July 18.—The Congressional Committee commenced its investigation this morning. Mr. Baxter was the first witness introduced, and was interrogated in relation to the whereabouts of the election returns.—In a speech at Lewisburg one year ago he said he had the original returns in his possession, but now that the returns are wanted he says he does not know anything about them, that he never had them and does not know where they are The public are in doubt as to whether he told the truth before the committee or at Lewisburg That he has misstated the fact at one place or the other is evident to every one. The convention passed a resolution to-day, by a two-thirds vote, declaring it the sense of that body that all officers, from the highest to the lowest, should be made elective by the terms of the Constitution

Mr. Baxter is reported to be very angry at this, for his democratic friends have promised him all along that his term of office should be scheduled over by a constitutional provision. It is stated by persons who have conversed with him that he threatens to disperse the Constitutional Convention with his militia if it in any manner attempts to interfere with his term of office.

Last night a caucus of leading Democrats was held at Anthony House, the object of which was to ascertain how many of the members could be relied upon to disband the militia, and thus shear Baxter of his power to interfere with them.

The St. Nicholas Hotel is now running a baggage wagon in connection with their two 'busses, and carriages. All calls left at their office will be promptly attended to. Their new carriage is one of the nicest and easiest riding ever brought to Decatur. The charges are the same as for the 'busses. [jun18-d1ew.

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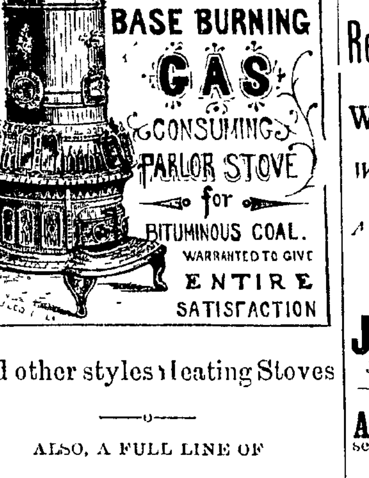

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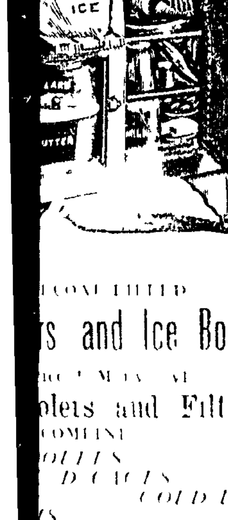

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A LIVELY SATURDAY NIGHT.

Brutal and Unprovoked Assault on Mr. David Berlin—The Victim Wounded and Perhaps Dangerously Injured—Mike Shannahan on His Muscle—A Peeler with a Game Ear.

It is seldom that the peace and quiet of an orderly, law abiding city like Decatur is disturbed by as many rows as occurred Saturday evening During the day no serious breaches of the law took place, and it was not until night that

THE BLOODY BUSINESS BEGAN

About half past eight Mr. David Berlin, special night policeman of the T, W & W. railway at the depot, started to see a man on business in the southern part of town When on South Franklin street he met a man with a market basket slung over his arm, accompanied by two little children The fellow ran against Berlin, knocking him off the walk and severely spraining his shoulder The man was a total stranger, and Berlin, surprised and astonished, asked him why he had done so He made no reply, but advanced straight towards Berlin, and without repeating a word struck a savage blow at him, which was deftly parried Berlin

DREW HIS REVOLVER,

a heavy one, of Colt's patent, with seven chambers, and presented it, half-cocked He told the man that he didn't wish to fight, but if it was necessary he would put a hole through him The person, whose name was Mike Connelly, turned and started across the street Berlin, supposing that the pugnacious Mike had been frightened from the field also changed the direction of his point of compass and was about to walk away when he heard footsteps from behind He turned and saw Connelly advancing with a brick in his hand — Berlin endeavored to fire his pistol, but it was only half cocked and did not go off The next moment he received

A BLINDING BLOW

in the left eye, and lay stretched upon the ground His optic was completely closed and has since been in mourning Connelly immediately bounced Berlin, beating him over the head and striking him in the pit of the stomach with his knee, inflicting a severe and painful injury They struggled fiercely together, and at last Berlin rolled Connelly over and became master of the situation by getting on top of him — Connelly is a big burly ruffian, while Berlin is a quiet inoffensive person, and apparently very much of a gentleman He is of a slight figure and a delicate constitution, illy fitted to cope with so large and powerful an adversary as Connelly. He pounded the latter over the head with the butt of his revolver Connelly got him off and was again on top After cavorting about in this manner for some time, the two close grappled, in a standing position Connelly had a tight grasp on Berlin, who aimed his seven shooter at that gentleman's legs, and pulled the trigger The bullet missed its mark, and when the smoke cleared away the clear profile of Connelly's classic limbs was yet to be seen undamaged Both fell to the earth, and a desperate grapple ensued for the revolver In the *melee* the weapon went off, and this is believed to have been

THE SHOT THAT HIT BERLIN

Connelly, supposing himself mortally wounded, arose

Meanwhile Mrs Samuel Rea, living on Jefferson street, about half a square distant, heard the first report of the pistol, and hastened to discover the cause. It was quite dark and she dimly saw the fight in progress, at a distance She immediately alarmed her husband and Mr Butman, who arrived on the scene just after the firing of the second shot and restrained Connelly from further acts of brutality Berlin arose and started to walk up the street He seemed considerably bewildered and retraced his steps, going on another street, and then returning At last he stopped at the house of Mrs Smith, a colored widow woman, on South Water street Here he washed his face, and then walked towards the city He says that he felt deathly sick and vomited continually He thought he heard Connelly's heavy tread behind him and laid down in the weeds to hide, at the corner next to the county jail yard This was most probably the vagary of a sick man, for Messrs Rea and Butman say that they had Connelly in charge at the time — He manifested a ferocious spirit and wanted to pursue Berlin, but they prevented him from doing so

Ald Butman notified policeman Brockway of the occurrence That officer discovered Berlin where he had lain down, unable to move Marshal Haworth hired a horse and carriage and took the unfortunate man up town They stopped in front of Squire Albert's office for the purpose of obtaining a warrant, but Berlin was too weak to ascend the stairs He vomited constantly, ejecting blood at times, and it was feared that his injuries were of a fatal character He was not aware of having been shot, nor was the wound discovered until he reached his home on Broadway, between Eldorado and Cerro Gordo streets Officer Hewes, in examining him to ascertain the extent of his injuries, discovered a small bullet hole on the left side of the abdomen. Berlin continued to vomit until about 11 o'clock, when Drs. Walston & Chenoweth were called His breath was short and thick. He lay speechless. Those who saw him then thought he would die before morning, and few hopes were entertained of his recovery. Dr. Walston placed a plaster over the wound and administered some morphine to the patient He slept some and grew better Last evening a reporter of the REPUBLICAN called at the house and found him sitting up.

THE WOUND

is just below the eighth rib. The ball passed through the interior of the body, penetrating the lower lobe of the left lung It is supposed to be lodged against the spinal column The physicians regard it as dangerous, but are confident of the patient's speedy recovery

MIKE CONNELLY

went to the office of Justice Albert soon after the affair and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Berlin He alleged that he carried two large sized bullets in his skull He was drunk at the time, and has been on a protracted spree for some days But a short time before he met Berlin he had been released on bail for disturbing the peace As his name would indicate, he is of Irish birth He owns a house and lot on East Jefferson street, and has a wife and family. Berlin is also married, and has one child

ON THE WAR PATH

About 9 p m , Mike Shannahan, a heater at the rolling mill, was up town full as a leech. The festive Mike "took in" a good many sample rooms, soaking his skin with liquor and kicking up a grand racket generally. At Hackett & Dychus' saloon he gave Mike Hackett considerable chin music, and

SHIED HIS CASTOR,

so to speak, for a square fight The muscular Mike said little, but silently gazed on the challenger with blood in his eye — Brockway came in and advised Shannahan to retire to his palatial residence in the 5th ward. He was at last prevailed to start, and meandered along in a zigzag course, breathing threats of vengeance In front of Gardiner's drug store Shannahan again bubbled over and became uproarious — Brockway ordered him to cork up He was monarch of all he surveyed, and

DEFIED THE POLICE FORCE

to arrest him Brockway and Pringle gave him a practical demonstration of their ability to accomplish the feat The two officers walked arm in arm with the prisoner until they arrived opposite the express office, on the west side of the old square Here Shannahan made a desperate attempt to regain his lost liberty He was assisted by one Jim Howley, a frequent offender, also an employe of the rolling mill While officer Pringle was reaching for the daring Jim, some one in the mob tripped officer Brockway, and the intrepid John staggered forward, relaxing his grasp on the struggling Shannahan, who darted across the street He was rapidly pursued. At the corner of Blenz & Danzeisen's he slipped and fell in the gutter, but quickly regained his feet Officer Brockway got near enough to take him over the head with a billy — The

FLEET FOOTED PRINCE

gave him a tight chase, and succeeded in nabbing him on the east side of the square Shannahan stoutly resisted, and only subsided after being cracked over the skull two or three times with the hickory He was hurried to the "bastile," followed by a large crowd When near the gate of the calaboose yard a grand rush ensued, and it was feared that a general attempt would be made to rescue the prisoner The noble Howley, whose performances have previously been alluded to, sneaked up to Brockway and dealt him

A COWARDLY BLOW WITH A BRICK

held in his hand The policeman was sent to grass, with a game ear and a hole in his hat, shouted for the crowd to stand back, and tried to draw his pistol to fire, but did not succeed. Howley was seized by a man in the crowd by the name of Jas Brewer, clutched him with the nerve of iron, and pluckily maintained his hold in spite of the man's endeavors to break away. Shannahan's head was

BADLY HASHED UP,

and bled profusely Our reporter visited the jail with the police about 10 o clock, when Shannahan threatened vigorously, and swore he would be even with John Brockway if it took a hundred years

Shannahan was brought to trial this morning before Justice Albert A fine of $15 was assessed for disturbing the peace, and $40 for resisting an officer

His compatriot, Howley, took a change of venue to appear before Justice Baker this afternoon It will probably go hard with him

Go where you can do the best for your groceries. Piatt & Son offer extra inducements to cash purchasers Call and see them. 20 dt

Native Mexicans.—A covered wagon of Mexican emigrants passed through the city Saturday evening, *en route* for Indiana The vehicle was drawn by a stout pair of mules, and swarmed with nut brown women and children The entire party numbered 15, but a portion of them, in another wagon, had become accidentally separated from the rest Two swarthy men, walking along the side of the street making inquiries in regard to the missing emigrants, attracted great attention They were brothers One was a young man, not so dark as his companion, and quite intelligent The other was exceedingly dark skinned and had a staring blind eye, which gave him a very fierce appearance Both persons were quite polite and spoke tolerable English , the latter seemed more at a loss to express himself, talking in monosyllables, and invariably ended every sentence with "yes, sir" They informed the reporter that they had started from San Antonio, Texas, two years ago, having stopped in Kansas on their way to engage in herding cattle

Postage.—By the provisions of the postal law passed by the last Congress, postage can not be collected upon papers delivered in the county where published. After the first of January next, postage must be prepaid by publishers on all papers and magazines sent outside the counties where published. From that time on, therefore, all persons can get their county paper free of postage. People should bear this in mind when subscribing for a paper In getting a county paper, you have one which is thoroughly identified with home interests, and which looks more particularly after home affairs Everyone should therefore subscribe for the home paper, and if doing so now should induce his neighbor to do the same :

ALAS, POOR "SPORT."

HOW A YALLER DOG CAME TO BE A DETECTIVE.

The Way of the Transgressor is Hard, Yea, Verily.

Prof. Will L Smith, the enterprising proprietor of Smith's Bell Ringers, whose return from Mexico and the southwest was chronicled in these columns some time ago, started off a couple of weeks since on a short professional tour, among the towns of Central Illinois. After filling all their engagements the company returned last night, on the train from the west, and at once started for Mr. Smith's residence, north of the city. On coming near the house, which had been unoccupied during their absence, they discovered a light in one of the windows, which served to arouse their suspicions that all was not right, and a nearer approach proved that. some interlopers were making rather free with the premises The burglars—for such they proved to be—scented danger, however, and before they could be captured made their escape through the window. The pursuers were nevertheless close enough to perceive that the plundering party consisted of a man and woman The furniture had been displaced, drawers broken open and rifled, and almost everything in the house that was of any value had been carried off, excepting, of course, such articles as were not portable

But the strangest part of the story remains to be told, and the reader, after pondering over it, will doubtless consider it another confirmation of the old saw, that "Murder will out." When Mr. Smith and his party entered the house they found there a mangy, yellow dog—not one of those high bred quadrupeds which delight the hearts of all lovers of the canine race, but a product of miscegenation, that, if endowed with the powers of research, reason and language, might trace his ancestry to a number of different families, all more or less renowned. This unfortunate little creature had been left in the house by the burglars, who were too intent on making a rapid exit to have time to think of the tell tale dog He was left to his fate, and also to be an instrument for the detection and capture of the thieves. This morning Mr. Smith and "Jafio," the comedian of the company, brought the dog to town, and turning him loose followed his footsteps He made a "bee line" for the west end of town, and finally brought up at a house on West Wood street, his two pursuers being close in the rear. They halted to take observations, and distinctly heard the ejaculations of surprise and pleasure with which the inmates of the house greeted the appearance of the four legged witness of a burglary "Why, here's Sport,' "Poor Sport," etc The pursuers then entered the house, but the dog had been secreted, and it was some time before they could get the inmates to admit that he was in the house This they finally did, however, and Mr Smith and his friend then came down town to place the matter in the hands of proper officers

An investigation revealed the fact that the thieves—a man living near the depot and a depraved woman from about Moawequa—had been at this house on West Wood street, in the evening, and that the dog had followed them off The inmates of the house also stated that the thieves had returned after the burglary, and had left there one or two small articles of plunder A search warrant was then taken out, and also a warrant for the arrest of the parties, but as we go to press we learn that the man, whose name we have not learned, had not been arrested, and that his female partner had taken the morning freight train for Moawequa. It is to be hoped that both will be arrested, if for nothing else, as a fitting tribute to the usefulness of the despised "yaller ' dog

LATER —The parties are Milton Winterstein, a laborer at the rolling mill, living half a mile northeast of the depot, and Lizzie Garner, a fallen woman from Moawequa A reporter of the REPUBLICAN has just returned from the house. It is now being searched by Mrshal Haworth and Officer Misenhelter Prof Smith is also there Several stolen articles have been identified. The man is under arrest. The woman has fled

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18-12w1* F M LEFORGEE

Ladies' Fine Shoes—Burt make just received at Wessel's The latest style of French Kid button, side lace shoes,—just the article that will please and fit Call and examine 8 dtf

A full line of cloths, cassimers and vestings, latest styles, at Race's, 2 d-tf

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July 11, d tf

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Light Spring Suits at Race's 2 d-tf

SUNDAY AMUSEMENTS.

A Free Fight Near the River.

On last evening, about 5 o'clock, three gentlemen of color were seated under the shade of a tree near Weber's beer garden engaged in playing cards, when they were suddenly accosted by eight or ten young men who insisted on taking a hand also To this the colored men demurred Loud talk followed The boys then announced their determination to clean out the negroes, and commenced to do so A colored man who is employed at the St Nicholas, drew a razor and endeavored to defend himself. In doing so he inflicted a severe cut on the leg of one of the attacking party.

The negroes now ran, one coming towards town and the other two going towards the river. They were furiously followed by the white men, who seemed determined to massacre them But the negroes made good their escape The negro who ran towards town was fired at but not hit. Taken altogether this is one of the most disgraceful affairs that has taken place lately and should be speedily inquired into by the proper authorities.

Special Notice —I take this method to announce to the public that I have now on hand a very superior assortment of boots and shoes that cannot be excelled in style, or in price and quality, consisting of Ladies' French Kid, button, side lace, low vamp, handsomely stitched—just the thing to please and fit perfectly Also, Men's Gaiters, low shoes, a full line of Burt's hand made goods, all kinds of children's colored shoes, button and lace — Call in and examine my stock
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Pictures framed in all styles, cheap, at Coffeen's new store. 17-3d

Sin is very much the offspring of physical ill-health and feeble stomachs — During one-third of our time the processes of digestion must go on in our bodies, and if the stomach and bowels are not well, nothing is well To be dyspeptic is to be miserable, moreover, dyspepsia is the foundation of fevers and diseases of the blood, liver, skin, and kidneys Dyspepsia invariably yields to the virtues of the vegetable ingredients contained in that great purifyer of the blood and restorer of health, DR WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS d&w4w

V. Barber & Co are offering many lines of boots, shoes, &c , at very low prices, to close out stock 16daw1w

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price [Sept1 d1m

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Don't you want one of those gold pens at Coffeen's? Every one warranted 17,3d

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THE NEW POSTAL LAW.

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Newspaper and periodical postage — On and after January 1, 1875, newspapers and periodicals mailed from the office of publication to be paid in advance by weight at the following rates Issued weekly or oftener, 2 cents a pound and fraction thereof, less frequently 3 cents To be weighed in bulk and paid by attaching a special adhesive stamp, prepared for the purpose, to the package, or as the Postmaster-General may direct One copy of each newspaper to actual subscribers to go free in the county where they are printed in whole or in part

Other Mailable matter —The new law makes a uniformity in all matter other than letters, newspapers, and periodicals, limits the packages to four pounds, at one cent for each two ounces

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In the Circuit Court, to the August term, A. D, 1874.

Affidavit of the non-residence of George W. Kanaday, defendant, and that his place of residence is Havilandsville, Harrison county, Kentucky, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court, notice is therefore hereby given to the said George W Kanaday, that Cincinnatus W. Morrison and James W. Patton, partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Morrison & Patton, heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, wherein the said George W Kanaday is made defendant, and that a summons theretofore issued out of said court against the said defendant, returnable on the second Monday of May, A. D 1874, as is required by law; and was returned to said May term of said court "not found" as to said defendant, that at said May term said cause was continued to said August term, A. D. 1874

Now, unless you, the said George W Kanaday, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden on the

First Monday of August, A D 1874,

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IN CHANCERY

Affidavit of the non residence of Clara Rodgers, one of said defendants, and that her place of residence is at Rob Roy, county of Jefferson and state of Arkansas, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court, notice is hereby given to the said Clara Rodgers that the above named complainants heretofore filed their certain bill of complaint or petition, in said court, on the chancery side thereof, entitled, and wherein the parties complainant and defendant, as above, and that summons theretofore issued out of said court against the said Clara Rodgers, returnable on the second Monday of May A D 187 , as is required by law, and was returned to said May term, not found, as to said defendant: that at said May term said cause was continued to the then next succeeding, to-wit, to said August term, A. D 1874 of said court.

Now, unless you, the said Clara Rodgers, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held on the

First Monday of August, A. D 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, or petition, the same, and the matters and things therein alleged and charged against you, will be taken as confessed by you, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill or petition.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court, August term, A. D. 1874

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that a certain suit is now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Jemima Wrigley is plaintiff, and Mary Platt, Ben C. Platt, Percival Platt, Kate Chichester, Emma Chichester, Edward Platt, Laura Platt, Albert L. Platt, George Platt, Jane Platt, (also called Jenevia Platt,) William Platt, Walter Platt, Charles Platt, Sarah A. Platt, Harriet McPherson, Abraham M. Gardener, and James R. Bull are defendants; and that summons in said cause has been issued, directed to the Sheriff of Macon county, Illinois, commanding him to summons said defendants to appear at the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, Illinois; and that unless you and each of you be and appear at the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Macon, in the state of Illinois, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

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E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
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June 22 1874-dtd.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the August term, A. D. 1874,

John G. Jemmison; vs. Charles Birmingham, David Bennett, and James Millikin and Jerome R. Gorin, partners as J. Millikin & Co.

CHANCERY.

Public notice is hereby given to the above named defendant, David Bennett, that the above named complainant, John G. Jemmison, has heretofore filed his certain bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, against the above named defendants; and that a summons has issued thereon against you, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon aforesaid, where said cause is now pending, on the first Monday of August, A. D. 1874, as is by law required.

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First Monday of August,

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Drusilla Clark, Executrix of the last will and testament of Samuel Clark, deceased, vs. Moses C. Hicks and Elizabeth A. Hicks

CHANCERY.

Affidavit of the non residence of the above named defendants, Moses C. Hicks and Elizabeth A. Hicks, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given, that the above named complainant hath filed her certain bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof; and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday in August next, as by law required.

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First Monday of August,

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